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FOR AMBASSADOR FROM EA-SNEIDER

1. WE EXPECT THAT USIB WILL APPROVE ON AUGUST 15 RELEASE
TO ROK OF NIAM 14.2-1-74, SUBJECT AS ABOVE, SUBJECT TO
MINIMAL DELETIONS.

2. I AM ALERTING YOU TO THIS PROSPECTIVE ACTION WITH THE
THOUGHT THAT, DESPITE TIGHT TIMING, YOU MIGHT WISH TO TAKE
ADVANTAGE OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO USE THIS INTERAGENCY
ASSESSMENT IN ONE OR MORE OF YOUR FAREWELL CALLS. FOLLOW-
ING USIB ACTION, WE WILL SEND OPEN CHANNEL CABLE
AUTHORIZING DISCLOSURE TO CAREFULLY SELECTED ROK LEADERS.
IF YOU DO NOT HAVE OCCASION TO ACT ON THIS SUGGESTION, OR
CONSIDER IT INADVISABLE, PLEASE ADVISE. WOULD THEN
APPRECIATE YOUR SUGGESTIONS ON SUBSEQUENT DISCLOSURE.

3. DOD ADVISES THAT TWO COPIES OF THIS DOCUMENT HAVE BEEN
POUCHED TO GENERAL STILLWELL'S OFFICE AND SHOULD BE ON
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